AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1-17 (canceled)

18 (currently amended). A system comprising:

a lecture terminal and a plurality of listener terminals,

the lecture terminal comprising:

a first input unit, the first input unit comprising a touch panel for inputting information written by a lecturer on the touch panel by detecting positions at which the lecturer touches the touch panel, obtaining coordinates of the detected positions and outputting coordinate information corresponding to the detected positions,

a written-information sender configured to identify the lecture-written information and send the identified lecture-written information to the listener terminals, and

at least one of the listener terminals comprising:

a first reader configured to read, from a listener recording medium, book information representing information from a book,

a first display configured to display, on a listener page, the book information and the lecture-written information from the written-information sender, and

a first writer configured to record, on the listener recording medium, the lecture-written information displayed by the first display;

wherein the lecture terminal comprises:

a second reader configured to read, from a lecture recording medium, the book information,

a second display configured to display, on a lecture page, the book information, and

an index sender configured to send to the listener terminals index information for specifying a range in that the book information is to be displayed, and

the first reader reads, from the listener recording medium, the book information in the range specified in the index information.

19 (canceled)

20 (currently amended). The system of claim [[19]] 18 wherein:

the touch panel is arranged on the lecture page,

the second display displays the lecture-written information in a position where the lecture has written the lecture-written information,

the lecture-written information sender sends to the listener terminals, position information, that represent a display position of the lecture-written information , together with the lecture-written information , [[and]]

the first display displays the lecture-written information in the position specified in the position information,

each of the lecture recording medium and the listener recording medium records lecture information representing lecture contents regarding the contents of the book,

the second reader reads the lecture information together with the book information,

the second display divides the lecture page into a plurality of areas, and displays the book information and lecture information respectively in the plurality of areas,

the first reader reads the lecture information together with the book information, and

the first display divides the listener page into a plurality of areas, and displays the book information and the lecture information respectively in the plurality of areas.

21 (canceled)

22 (previously presented). The system of claim 21, wherein:

the lecture terminal further includes a second writer that records the lecture-written information displayed by the second display on the lecture recording medium.

23 (previously presented). The system of claim 22, wherein:

at least one of the listener terminals comprising:

a second input unit comprising a touch panel placed on the listener page and inputs listener-written information written by the listener on the listener page, by detecting a position touched on the touch panel by a listener and by outputting position information representing the detected position, and

an information processing unit that obtains coordinates of the position touched on the touch panel by using the position information provided by the second input unit and generates display data for displaying the listener-written information by using the obtained coordinates, wherein

the first display displays the listener-written information in a position where each of the plurality of listeners has written the listener-written information by using the display data.

24 (previously presented). The system of claim 23 wherein the first writer records, as a single file, a plurality of information pieces displayed by the first display on the listener recording medium.

25 (currently amended). [[The]] A system ~~of claim 18~~, comprising:

a lecture terminal and a plurality of listener terminals,

the lecture terminal comprising:

a first input unit, the first input unit comprising a touch panel for inputting information written by a lecturer on the touch panel by detecting positions at which the lecturer touches the touch panel, obtaining coordinates of the detected positions and outputting coordinate information corresponding to the detected positions,

a written-information sender configured to identify the lecture-written information and send the identified lecture-written information to the listener terminals, and

at least one of the listener terminals comprising'

a first reader configured to read, from a listener recording medium, book information representing information from a book,

a first display configured to display, on a listener page, the book information and the lecture-written information from the written-information sender,

a first writer configured to record, on the listener recording medium, the lecture-written information displayed by the first display; and

an attendance-management terminal configured to manage listener attendance,

at least one of the listener terminals comprising:

an attendance-information sender configured to send attendance information representing listener attendance at a lecture to the attendance-management terminal in response to a listener touching a touch panel located on the listener page,

the attendance-management terminal being configured to use the attendance information to obtain a percentage of lectures attended by a listener.

26 (previously presented). The system of claim 25, wherein:

the listener terminal displays a symbol on the listener page indicating confirmation of attendance at a lecture by a listener,

the listener terminal comprises a detector configured to detect that a listener has touched a position on the touch panel corresponding to the position of the displayed symbol and, upon detection that the listener has touched the listener page, the attendance-information sender sends the attendance information to the attendance-management terminal.

27 (previously presented). The system of claim 25, comprising:

a credit-management terminal configured to determine whether a listener has passed a course, the credit-management terminal comprising:

a database configured to store a listener's exam result,

an acquirer configured to acquire from the attendance-management terminal the percentage of the listeners' attendance, and

a credit determiner configured to determine, based on the listener's exam result and the percentage of each listener's attendance, whether a listener has passed a course.

28 (previously presented). The system of claim 27, comprising:

a marking terminal configured to mark a listener's answer to a multiple-choice exam question,

at least one of the listener terminals comprising:

an answer acquirer configured to acquire an answer written by a listener on a listener page, and

an answer sender configured to send the acquired answer to the marking terminal,

the marking terminal comprising:

a memory configured to store correct answers, and

a marker configured to mark the acquired answer using the correct answers stored in the memory.

29 (previously presented). The system of claim 28 wherein the marking terminal comprises a result sender configured to send a marked result of the marker to the credit-management terminal as the exam result of each listener.

30 (previously presented). The system of claim 27, comprising:

a marking terminal configured to mark a listener's answer to an essay exam question,

at least one of the listener terminals comprising:

an answer acquirer configured for acquiring an answer written by a listener on a touch panel on a listener page, and

an answer sender configured to send the acquired answer to the marking terminal,

the marking terminal comprising:

a memory configured to store an answer provided by the answer sender, and

a display configured to present the answers of the plurality of listeners to the lecture by displaying the answers of the plurality of listeners stored in the memory and

the memory stores marking results carried out by the lecture.